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PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

## Intimations.

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

Japan! Japan! Japan!!!

KUHN & Co.

BEG RESPECTFULLY TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEIR  
JAPANESE FINE ART GALLERY  
(Opposite the HONGKONG HOTEL)

Will be OPEN to Visitors

ON

MONDAY,

January 3rd, 1887.

I thank the Residents of Hongkong  
and our numerous Customers at the  
Outports for their kind and liberal patronage  
in the past, we trust that the Goods supplied  
have given every satisfaction, so as to en-  
sure your further support, which it will be  
our utmost endeavour to deserve and main-  
tain.

Our present Collection contains HUN-  
DREDS of ELEGANT and USEFUL  
ARTICLES, and represent almost every  
branch of ancient and modern Japanese  
industry and art. Every Article in the  
Collection has been most carefully selected,  
with a special object as an illustration either  
of History, Art, or Manufacture, and our  
17 years experience may be accepted as a  
reliable guarantee of their genuineness and  
quality.

We beg to call special attention to our  
Latest Novelty in

JAPANESE GOLD BROCADES,  
of which there is a choice variety of brilliant  
colours and elegant ancient patterns.

These Fine Brocades are  
admirably suited for

WINDOW CURTAINS.

They are in lengths of 12 yards each, by  
36 inches wide, and are offered at

THREE DOLLARS

per piece.

Attention is also directed to an unrivalled  
Collection of BRONZES, LACQUER,  
IVORY CARVINGS, SILKS, SWORDS,  
CLOISONNE, PORCELAIN, SATSUMA,  
EMBROIDERED GOWNS & QUILTS,  
QUILTS, PILLOW & CUSHION COVERS,  
and a great variety of OLD SATSUMA  
BROCADES and HISTORICAL TAB-  
LEAUX, &c., also GOLD and SILVER  
JEWELLERY in all branches.

On account of limited space in our new  
premises a large number and variety of  
Articles will be cleared at most reasonable  
wholesale prices, to enable us to unpack  
our goods.

A visit to our Art. Gallery is respectfully  
solicited.

KUHN & Co.

Hongkong, December 29, 1886. 2476

NOTICE.

## NOTICE.

### RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

1.—The business of the above Bank will  
be conducted by the Hongkong and  
Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their  
promises in Hongkong. Business hours  
on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10  
to 1.

2.—Sums less than \$1. or more than \$2500  
at one time will not be received. No  
depositor may deposit more than \$2,500  
in any one year.

3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having  
\$100 or more at their credit may at  
any time transfer the same to the  
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor-  
poration on fixed deposit for 12 months  
at 5 per cent. annual interest.

4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per  
annum will be allowed to depositors on  
their daily balances.

5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis  
with a Pass-Book which must be pre-  
sented with each payment or with-  
drawal. Depositors must not make  
any entries themselves in their Pass-  
Books but should send them to be  
written up at least twice a year, about  
the beginning of January and begin-  
ning of July.

6.—Correspondence as to the business of  
the Bank if marked On Hongkong  
Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free  
by the various British Post Offices in  
Hongkong and China.

7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand,  
but the personal attendance of the  
depositor or his duly appointed agent  
and the production of his Pass-Book  
are necessary.

For the  
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING  
CORPORATION,

JOHN WALTER,

Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, June 7, 1886. 754

## NOTICES OF FIRMS.

### NOTICE.

WE have authorized Mr. ED. MILLER  
to SIGN BILLS OF LADING in our  
Name from this date.

SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, November 29, 1886. 2274

### NOTICE.

D. R. H. KIMBALL will TAKE CHARGE  
of my DENTAL PRACTICE in  
Hongkong until further Notice.

H. H. WINN.

16, BANK BUILDINGS,  
Hongkong, December 20, 1886. 2420

### NOTICE.

I HAVE this Day ESTABLISHED my  
self as a SHARE and GENERAL BROKER  
Y. A. GUBBAY.

Hongkong, December 27, 1886. 2465

## Business Notices.

### Christmas Cheer!!

**KENYER CRAWFORD & CO.**

HAVE RECEIVED A NEW STOCK OF

**OILMAN'S STORES**

AND—  
HOUSEHOLD GROCERIES,  
including the following

SEASONABLE DELICACIES:

SOUPS—Real Turtle, Mulligatawny, Ox-tail, Giblet, Clam Chowder, Soup and Bouilli, Hotel Potch, &c., &c.

FISH—Sardines in Oil, Citron, Tomatoes, and Butter; Whitebait, Trout, Anchovies, Tunny Fish, Oysters, Tamarind Fish, Mackerel Red Fish, Herring and Mackerel au vin Blanc, Pilchards, Salmon Cutlets, Salmon Kippers, &c., &c.

PATENT PRESERVED LAX.

GAME AND PATTIES—Galantine of Game, Boar's Head, Wild Duck, Pâté de Foie Gras, assorted Game and English Patties, Rabbit and Onions French Pâté, Grouse, Truffled Chicken in Jelly.

TONGUES—Smoked, Cured, Picnic, Lunch; Spiced, Paysandu, Pig's Foot, Sausage, Onion Sausage.

SUNDRIES—Apple Sauce, Brown, Essence, Pig's Foot, Sausage, Onion, Chutney, French and English Vegetables, Black Cucumbers, Mushrooms, Pickles, Tabasco Sauce, Flavoured Jellies, Sautéd Cream, French Vinegar, French Mustard, Stuffed Olives, Westphalian Sausages, Lyons Sausages, Board's Suffolk Bacon, &c., &c.

DESSERT FRUITS—Fruits in Syrup, Noyau and Brandy; Crystallized French Plums, Jordan Almonds, Orange, Lemon and Vanilla Creams, Cutting's Dessert Fruits.

NEW SEASON'S MUSCATELS, SMYRNA FIGS AND ELVAS PLUMS.

NUTS—ALMONDS IN SHELL, BRAZIL, AND BARCELONA.

PLUM PUDDINGS AND MINCEMEAT.

HUNTLEY AND PALMER'S CHRISTMAS CAKES.

FINEST SELECTED YORK HAMS.

CHEESE—GORZONZOLA, STILTON, GLOSTER, ALBERT, AND AMERICAN.

HUNTLEY AND PALMER'S CHRISTMAS AND ASSORTED BISCUITS.

FRENCH AND ENGLISH CONFECTIONERY!

FANCY CHOCOLATES AND CHOCOLATE CREAMS.

BON BONS.

ALSO, WINES AND SPIRITS.

All First Class Brands,

(Details see December Wine List).

CHAMPAGNE—AYALA & Co.—(L. C. & Co. assert this to be the Finest Brand  
of Champagne imported into Hongkong)—Quarts, \$31.00; Pints, \$23.00.

SHERRIES—SICCIANO'S & CUTLER PALMER & Co.'s.

CLARETS—L. C. & Co.'s, and ADET SWARD & Co.'s.

PORTS—CUTLER PALMER & Co.'s, and L. C. & Co.'s own 'Red Seal.'

BURGUNDIES—ADET SWARD & Co.'s & CUTLER PALMER & Co.'s.

HOCKS—CUTLER PALMER & Co.'s, and California.

BRANDIES—Henneberg, Courvoisier, Exshaw, & L. C. & Co.'s.

WHISKIES—L. C. & Co.'s 'Special Blend,' Teacher's Highland Cream, Napier Johnstone's, Bullock Lade's, Dunville's, The Carlton, and Kellars' Old Rye.

RUM—Domestic and Old Jamaica.

GIN—Swaine's Old Tom and Van Hoboken's Geneva.

ALE and PORTER—(L. C. & Co.'s special agency)—Foster's and Bulldog Brands of Bass's Ale and Guinness's Stout, and Clausen's Champagne Lager Beer.

BITTERS—Angostura, Boker's, Orange, Chiretta, Bovari.

LIQUEURS—Benedictine, D.O.M. (especially recommended), Chartreuse, Curacao, Maraschino, Noyau, Cherry Brandy, Ginger Brandy.

VERMOUTH—Torino (L. C. & Co., special agency) and Nolli's Prat's French.

GIGARS.

L. C. & Co. confidently recommend their special make of Cigars 'THE MANILAS' as  
being the best possible brand of Manila Cigars procurable; they are made of  
pure Isabela and Cagayan Tobacco and contain no flavoring oils or adulteration.

The immense quantity sold since this Cigar was first introduced by L. C. & Co.  
speaks for its great appreciation by all smokers here and at home.

SEE OTHER ADVERTISEMENTS IN THE LOCAL PAPERS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

Hongkong, December 20, 1886. 2410

## Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central  
and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost

the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government  
Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been built on  
larged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most  
comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East.

The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description.

An ample and varied TABLE D'HÔTE is always provided and served in the spacious,  
large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD  
and SMOKING ROOMS.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service.

Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABEE & HING KEE,  
Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885. 1812

## W. POWELL & Co.

CHRISTMAS 1886.

W. POWELL & Co. respectfully call attention to their LARGEST and EXTENSIVE

STOCK OF TOYS.

TOYS of every description suitable for BOYS and GIRLS.

Over 3,000 DOLLS to select from.

Special advantages offered to Purchasers of \$10.00 worth.

CHRISTMAS TREE parcels \$10.00, \$15.00, \$20.00, \$25.00 made up and numbered

in 24 hours' notice.

W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, December 15, 1886. 2376

## KELLY & WALSH, Ld.,

H A V E R E C E I V E D

CHRISTMAS NUMBER 'ILLUSTRATED NEWS,' containing a complete Novel

by Bret Harte, entitled 'Millionaire of Rough and Ready,' and large coloured

Picture 'Little Miss Muffet.'

XMAS NUMBER 'GRAPHIC,' containing a complete Novel by David Christie

Murphy, entitled 'Bull Dog and Butterfly,' and large coloured Picture

'Voices, Tally Ho.'

XMAS NO. ILLUSTRATED SPORTING and DRAMATIC NEWS.

ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS ALMANACK 1887.

Postage, 3 days to London, 5 days to America, 10 days to Australia, 12 days to India, 15 days to China, 18 days to Japan, 20 days to Siam, 25 days to Ceylon, 30 days to Australia, 35 days to New Zealand, 40 days to South Africa, 45 days to South America, 50 days to Brazil, 55 days to Chile, 60 days to Argentina, 65 days to Uruguay, 70 days to Venezuela, 75 days to Peru, 80 days to Bolivia, 85 days to Ecuador, 90 days to Chile, 95 days to Argentina, 100 days to

## Entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL,  
CITY HALL,  
HONGKONG AMATEUR  
DRAMATIC CLUB.

THE SECOND PERFORMANCE  
OF THE SEASON  
will take place

THIS EVENING,  
the 30th December, 1886, at 9 p.m.,  
when will be performed

A. MUSICAL SKETCH,  
by  
GEO. GROSSMUTH, JUN.,  
entitled:

'CUPS AND SAUCERS,'  
A COMEDIE IN TWO ACTS,  
by  
J. MADDISON MORTON,  
entitled:

'OUR WIFE.'

Tickets may be obtained from Messrs.  
Lane, Crawford & Co., on and after  
Friday, 24th December, at 9 a.m.

H. M. THOMSETT,  
Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, December 30, 1886. 2422

## Auctions.

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY,

the 31st December, 1886, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,

## AN ASSORTMENT OF

JAPANESE WARE,  
comprising:

SATSUMA, KAGA, IMARI, KUTO, and  
TOZO VASES, JARS, BOWLS, INCENSE  
BURNERS, ENAMELED WARE, EGG-SHELL  
WARE, GOLD and SILVER INLAID BRONZES,  
PANELS, EMBROIDERIES and EMBROIDERED  
SCOLENS.

Also,  
CASHMERE GOODS,  
comprising:

STRAWS, CLOAKS AND MANTLETS.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,  
Auctioner.

Hongkong, December 27, 1886. 2456

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 5th January, 1887, on Board, at Noon,

(Unless previously Sold by Private  
Contract).

THE BRITISH STEAMER  
PARTAGE,  
of 244 Tons Register, 71 H.P., built in  
1884, and classed 100 A 1 at Lloyds,  
as she then lies in this Harbour, with  
all her TACKLE and APPURTEN-  
ANCES.

For further Particulars, apply to the  
CAPTAIN on Board, or to

G. R. LAMMERT,

Auctioner.

Hongkong, December 10, 1886. 2389

## NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND  
SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Gleue* having arrived  
from the above Ports, Consignees of  
Cargo by her and by the S.S. *Richmond*  
and *Antwerp*, Havre and Bordeaux, in  
connection with the above Steamer,  
are hereby informed that their Goods,  
with the exception of Opium, Treasure and  
Valuables— are being landed and stored  
at their risk at the Company's Godowns,  
whence delivery may be obtained imme-  
diately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless  
notice to the contrary be given before 2 p.m.  
on the 29th Instant.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the  
5th January, 1887, will be subject to rent.  
No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.  
Hongkong, December 29, 1886. 2471

## STEAMSHIP YANTSE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London,  
Antwerp, Havre and Bordeaux, or  
Bourdeaux and Esquimes des Terres, in  
connection with the above Steamer,  
are hereby informed that their Goods,  
with the exception of Opium, Treasure and  
Valuables— are being landed and stored  
at their risk at the Company's Godowns,  
whence delivery may be obtained imme-  
diately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless  
intimation is received from the Consignees  
before Noon To-day (Sunday), requesting  
it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
the Undersigned.

Goods remaining unclaimed after Mon-  
day, the 3rd January, 1887, at Noon, will  
be subject to rent.

All Claims must be sent to me on or  
before Wednesday, the 5th January, 1887,  
or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.

Hongkong, December 20, 1886. 2453

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND  
SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Japan* having arrived  
from the above Ports, Consignees of  
Cargo are hereby requested to send in  
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned  
for countersignature, and to take immediate  
delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be at  
once landed and stored at Consignee's risk  
and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be  
effected.

Consignees are hereby informed that all  
Goods will be landed and stored at  
the 31st instant.

SONS & CO.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, December 30, 1886. 2457

## Notices to Consignees.

## UNION LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.  
FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Tartar*, Captain  
Perkins, having arrived from the  
above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby  
requested to send in their Bills of Lading to  
the Undersigned for countersignature, and  
to take immediate delivery of their Goods  
from alongside.

The Steamer is berthed at the Kowloon  
Piers and Cargo impeding her discharge  
will be at once landed and stored at Con-  
signee's risk and expense, and no Fire  
Insurance will be effected.

All Claims against the Steamer must be  
presented to the Undersigned on or before  
the 7th January, or they will not be re-  
cognised.

RUSSELL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, December 28, 1886. 2460

## Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor  
Owners will be responsible for any  
Debt contracted by the Officers or  
Crew of the following Vessels, during  
their stay in Hongkong Harbour:

ANOLI, German brig, Captain John  
Focke—Schellasse & Co.

ARLIE, British 3-masted schooner, Capt.  
B. Bright—Master.

ESSE, German brig, Capt. E. Schwartz—  
Weller & Co.

ENOS SOULE, American ship, Capt. J. T.  
Soulé—Master.

FRED P. LITCHFIELD, American barque, Capt.  
O. C. Young—Gaines & Co.

HAROLDINE, Amer. 4-m. schooner, Capt.  
S. R. Tibbets—Russell & Co.

HILDA, British schooner, Capt. O. Olin—  
Captain.

JOLESIDE, British barque, Capt. James  
Hayes—Master.

JACOB CHRISTENSEN, Norv. s'r, Captain  
G. Bjørk—Misaki Bussan Kisha.

JOHN TRADEY, British ship, Capt. Thos.  
Ryan—Messageries Maritimes.

SARAH HIGGINS, American ship, Capt. A.  
Morgan—Ed. Schellasse & Co.

TITAN, American ship, Captain C. H.  
Allyn—W. Legge.

VENTURA, Spanish barque, Captain R.  
Estival—Remedios & Co.

Hongkong, December 30, 1886. 2480

## To-day's Advertisements.

## STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s  
Steamship  
Melpomene  
will leave for the above  
place TO-MORROW (Friday), 31st Inst.,  
at Noon.

E. L. WOODIN,  
Acting Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
Hongkong, December 30, 1886. 2478

## PUBLIC AUCTION.

N. B. W. Y. E. R. S. E. V. E.

M. E. S. S. R. E. C. O. D. & C. O. will  
SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION, on

NEW YEAR'S EVE,

At Messrs. CAMPBELL, MODER & Co.'s, Ltd.,  
Variety Store,—

A QUANTITY OF  
BONBONS, ASSORTED CONFECTION-  
ERY, and TOYS.

Also,

GENTLEMAN'S DRESSING CASES, LA-  
BES' COMPANIES, and SILK-LINED

MUSICAL BOXES, UMBRELLAS,  
OVERLAND TRUNKS and HAND

BAGS.

&c., &c., &c.

For the Sale will commence at 8.30 p.m.  
Hongkong, December 30, 1886. 2480

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM  
NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM SOUTHERN, SAMARANG,  
BATAVIA, SINGAPORE AND  
SAIGON.

THE Company's S.S. *Celbes* having  
arrived from the above Ports, Consignees  
of Cargo by her are hereby informed  
that their Goods are being landed at their  
risk into Messrs. JADENE, MATHESON &  
Co.'s Godowns, West Point, whence delivery  
may be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the  
6th January, 1887, will be subject to rent.  
No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, December 30, 1886. 2480

## To-day's Advertisements.

## TO BE LET

N. O. 2, RICHMOND TERRACE (at  
present in the occupation of H. M.  
BALLY, Esq.) With Possession from 1st  
February next.

Apply to

JOHN WILLMOTT,  
Hongkong Dispensary.

Hongkong, December 30, 1886. 2481

## NOTICE.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY OF MR.  
NATHOORAM JOIAWURMUL

Deceased, in our Firm CEASED on the 29th  
October, 1886; and Mr. RAMNARAYEN

NATHOORAM has been Admitted a  
PARTNER from that date.

TATA & CO.

Hongkong, December 30, 1886. 2482

## NOTICE.

WE Have This Day COMMENCED Busi-  
ness as SHANIE and GENERAL  
BROKERS under the Name and Style  
ZEKIEL & JOSEPH!

N. D. ZEKIEL.  
E. H. JOSEPH.

Hongkong, December 30, 1886. 2483

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, SYDNEY AND  
MELBOURNE, VIA SINGAPORE.

The Co.'s Steamship  
Chingtu.

J. C. D. ARTHUR, Com'rder,  
will be despatched as  
above on MONDAY, the 10th January, at  
4 p.m.

The attention of Passengers is directed  
to the superior Accommodation offered by  
this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabin  
are situated forward of the Engines. Second  
Class Passengers are accommodated in the  
P. & G. Refrigerating Chamber ensures  
the supply of Fresh Provisions throughout  
the entire voyage.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.

Hongkong, December 30, 1886. 2477

## U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP  
COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA  
OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUGHING  
AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF  
RIO DE JANEIRO will be des-  
patched from San Francisco, via Yokohama,  
on FRIDAY, the 2nd January, at 4 p.m.,  
taking Passengers and Freight for Japan,  
the United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-  
portation to Yokohama, and other Japan  
Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and  
Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad,  
and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central  
and South America, by the Company's and  
connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to

England, France, and Germany by all  
Trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

RETURN PASSAGES.—Passengers,



## Prospectus.

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS  
OF  
THE HONGKONG AND  
KOWLOON WHARF AND  
GODOWN COMPANY  
(LIMITED).  
INCORPORATED UNDER THE COMPANIES'  
ORDINANCES OF HONGKONG.

CAPITAL \$1,700,000.  
Divided into 17,000 Shares of \$100  
each, payable as follows:  
\$25 on application and \$75 on  
allotment.

Directors:

THE HONORABLE J. BELL-IRVING,  
THE HONORABLE F. D. SASSOON,  
THE HONORABLE A. P. MCLEWEN,  
C. P. CHATER, Esq.  
W. H. F. DARBY, Esq.  
M. GROTE, Esq.  
H. HOPPIUS, Esq.  
E. H. H. HUNTINGTON, Esq.  
J. S. MOSES, Esq.

Bankers:

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION.

Secretary:

ISAAC HUGHES, Esq.

Advertisers:

MESSRS. WOTTON & DEACON.

Advertisers:

MESSRS. G. S. COXON AND T. L. ROSE.

THIS Company has been formed for the purpose of amalgamating and working as one concern the undertaking known as Messrs JARDINE, MATTHESON & Co.'s PIERS AND GODOWNS with the undertaking known as the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF, GODOWNS AND CARGO BOAT COMPANY. The objects of the Company are more particularly set out in the Memorandum and Articles of Association, copies of which can be seen in London at the offices of Messrs MATTHESON & Co., No. 3 Lombard Street, E.C.; in Shanghai at the offices of Messrs JARDINE, MATTHESON & Co., and in Hongkong at the Company's Office, Puddler Street, Hongkong.

The property known as Messrs JARDINE, MATTHESON & Co.'s PIERS AND GODOWNS consists of portions of Marine Lots Nos. 95, 96, 97 and 98, and a right of water frontage of over 617 feet, and an area of over 100,000 square feet, with the Godowns and buildings thereon, having a gross storage capacity of over 50,000 tons; the Wharf, measuring on the main front 550' x 50', on the arm 325' x 30' and on the siding 275' x 50', showing a total berthing capacity of 1180 feet; a pair of Shear cranes of lifting 25 tons, and rolling stock, including 4038 feet of Duvall's patent tramway, 33 wagons and turn-tables.

The property of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF, GODOWNS AND CARGO BOAT COMPANY consists of Kowloon Wharf Lots Nos. 9, 11, 20 and 21, having a frontage of 1620 feet and an area of 41,000 square feet. The Godowns thereon have a gross storage capacity of 178,900 tons; three Wharves one measuring 423 feet long and 37 feet 6 inches broad, another measuring 455 feet long and 37 feet 6 inches broad, and the third measuring 501 feet long and 45 feet 6 inches broad,—six of the largest vessels that enter Hongkong can be berthed at these wharves at the same time)—rolling stock, including 9779 yards (or 5.6 miles) of Fowler's patent tramway, two weighing machines for wagons, 45 turntables, 56 Fowler's general purpose wagons, 40 Duvall's general purpose wagons, 35 Fowler's double tipping oval wagons, 2 steam hoisting gears, the steam launches *Kowloon*, *Hongkong*, and *Heron*, 4 solid tank lighters, each capable of holding 200 tons, and 3 Chinese cargo boats together capable of holding 125 tons.

The two undertakings above referred to have been working satisfactorily for some period.

It has been arranged to purchase Kowloon Inland Lots Nos. 211, 212, 213 and 214, having a total road frontage of 938 feet and an area of over 145,000 square feet.

Of the total Capital of \$1,700,000 the sum of \$1,000,000 has been taken up by the vendors of the various Jardins and premises, as more particularly mentioned in the Memorandum of Association, and the remaining \$700,000 only is offered to the Public for subscription.

The Contracts for extending and completing the Godowns and Wharves of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF, GODOWNS AND CARGO BOAT COMPANY will amount in all to a sum estimated not to exceed \$100,000. The owners of the Godowns and Wharves have already paid a portion of the estimated sum, and will continue to do so much thereof as falls due up to the time when the premises are acquired by the Company, when the Company will repay to these owners so much of the said estimated sum as they shall then have paid.

Applications for Shares will be received in London, up to and inclusive of the 15th January 1887, by Messrs MATTHESON & Co., in Shanghai, up to and inclusive of the 31st December 1886, by the Secretary; and the amount payable on application must be paid to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. If no allotment is made the deposit will be returned, without any deduction, but without any interest, and where the number allotted for the surplus will be credited in reduction of the amount payable on allotment and any excess returned.

Forms of applications for shares may be obtained in London from Messrs MATTHESON & Co., in Shanghai from Messrs JARDINE, MATTHESON & Co., and in Hongkong from the Secretary.

Hongkong, 18th Nov., 1886. 2201

## To Let.

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## Occidental &amp; Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

WITH immediate cooperation the Company & Old Offices, lately in the occupation of the Honkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation.

For further Particulars, apply to the Undersigned.

E. L. WOODIN,  
Acting Superintendent,  
Hongkong, November 22, 1886. 2220

## TO LET.

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No. 16, HOLLYWOOD ROAD.

Apply to

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Hongkong, December 3, 1886. 632

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## STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,

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ALSO,

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND

AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLE, TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK, AND BOSTON.

Hongkong, December 21, 1886. 2420

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## NOTICE.

## HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

## SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are

respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Puffin Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, August 25, 1885. 4458

## NOTICE.

## FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.

## MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG,  
Surgeon Dentist,

(FORMERLY ARTIFICIAL APOTHECARY AND  
LATENT ASSISTANT TO DR. ROGERS.)

At the urgent request of his European  
and American patients and friends, a  
TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROGERS.

No. 2, DUDDELL STREET.

## CONSULTATION FREE.

Discount to missionaries and families.  
Sole Address.

2, DUDDELL STREET,  
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Hongkong, January 12, 1885. 66

## NOTICE.

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MARMETES.

## PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

## STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,

COLOMBO, PONDICHERY,

ADEN, SUEZ,

PORT SAID,

MARSEILLE, AND PORTS

OF BRAZIL, AND LA PLATA;

ALSO,

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## INSURANCES.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE  
INSURANCE COMPANY.

## NOTICE.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.

The Undersigned are prepared to accept

Risks of First Class Godowns at 4  
per cent, not premium per annum.

NORTON & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, May 19, 1881. 936

## NOTICE.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.

## (FIRE AND LIFE.)

## CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

The Undersigned are prepared to grant

Polices against the Risk of FIRE on

Buildings or on Goods stored therein, or

Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of

Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms

and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-

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for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on

first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-

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ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO.,

NOTICE.

## STEAM FOR

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BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS,

GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN  
PORTS.

The COMPANY'S SPEAKERS WILL CALL

AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS  
AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills  
of Lading for the principal places in  
RUSSIA.

ON MONDAY, the 24th day of Janu-

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Steamship *NECKAR*, Captain Bavin,

with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE,

AND CARGO, will leave this port as above.

Shipping Orders will be granted 'till

Noon, Cargo will be received on board

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The Steamer has splendid Accommodation

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For further Particulars, apply to

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Hongkong, December 28, 1886. 2402

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LAW IN HONGKONG.

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CRAWFORD & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, August 20, 1886. 1398

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